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Electricity supply undertakings (Requestion)
Act
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

ABSTRACT

ELECTRICITY - Udipi, Salur - Parvathipur and Srikakulam Company
Electrical undertakings - Acquisition under Madras Electricity
Supply undertakings (Acquisition) Act, 1949 - Sanctioned.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

G.O.Ms.No.77.

6th January, 1951.

READ:

From the Chief Electrical Inspector to Government
No.C.15 Accts/49-19 dated 18-7-56.
" " Chief Engineer (Electrical) No.409-C/50/6
dated 12-8-50.

ORDER:

His Excellency the Governor of Madras hereby approves the proposal for the acquisition of the Udipi, Salur-Parvatipur and Srikakulam company Electrical undertaking under the provisions of the Madras Electricity Supply undertakings (Acquisition) Act, 1949, and sanctions an expenditure not exceeding Rs.5.05 lakhs (Rupees five lakhs and five thousand only) for the purpose as shown below:-

Name of undertaking.	Estimated cost of acquisition Rs. in lakhs.
1. Udipi.	2.25
2. Salur-Parvatipur.	1.10
3. Srikakulam	1.70

2. The expenditure is debitable to "81.A. Capital outlay on Electricity Schemes - II Thermo - Electric Schemes (Excluding P.W.R.)" Pending Provision of funds, the Accountant General is requested to admit the expenditure in audit.

3. The Chief Engineer (Electrical) is requested to furnish urgently particulars in the following form for meeting the expenditure if any in the current year initially by an advance from the contingency Fund, pending approval by the legislature:-

<u>Description of Scheme</u> (1)		<u>Head of Account for the expenditure.</u> (2)	
<u>Ultimate cost</u>		<u>Est</u>	<u>Remarks if any</u>
<u>Recurring</u> (3)	<u>Non-recurring</u> (4)	<u>Estimated cost in 1950-51.</u> (5)	
			(6)

4. Orders will be issued separately regarding the date on which the Udipi, Salur-Parvatipur and Srikakulam Electrical undertakings shall vest in the Government under the provisions of the Madras Electricity Supply undertakings (Acquisition) Act 1949.

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SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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To the Chief Electrical Inspector to Government.
" " Chief Engineer (Electrical)
" " Accountant General through Finance Department.
Copy to Finance (R.G.)
" " P Section P.W.D.

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SUMMARISING NOTE

SUB: Electricity - Udipi, Salur - Parvatipur and Srikakulam Company Electrical Undertakings - Acquisition by Government.

The position in regard to supply of electricity in the areas of Udipi, Salur-Parvatipur and Srikakulam company licences has been unsatisfactory for some years past. The Udipi undertaking has been in complete stagnation for about 12 years past. The service given by it is not satisfactory and a great deal of dissatisfaction is being expressed by the public of Udipi. In the case of Salur-Parvatipur, the supply in Parvatipur section is unsatisfactory. There has been frequent failure of supply at Srikakulam. All these three undertakings belong to one and the same managing agent. On the recommendation of the Chief Electrical Inspector to Government and the Chief Engineer (electrical), it was decided in December 1949 to acquire these undertakings on payments of advances amounting to Rs. 4 lakhs, the final compensation being decided according to the provisions of the Nationalisation Bill which was then under consideration, or on terms considered fair by the Government, if the nationalisation proposals were not proceeded with in one year. The shareholders of the undertakings also passed the necessary resolutions for handing over the undertakings to the Government on the above terms.

2. The Madras Electricity Supply Undertakings (Acquisition) Act, 1949, came into force on 24-1-50. The above three undertakings have been included in the first batch of undertakings to be acquired under the Acquisition Act. However, in view of the present financial position of the Government they have decided to go slow with the first batch so far as private undertakings are concerned and to acquire immediately only those undertakings where services have broken down or likely to break down in the near future. Accordingly they have approved the acquisition of Proddatur, Ongole, Rajahmundry, Narasaraopet, Udipi, Salur-Parvatipur, Srikakulam and Union Cochin undertakings and obtained ~~also~~ also the approval of the Government of India for the acquisition of these undertakings.

3. The Chief Engineer (Electrical) has also since submitted for approval a scheme for the acquisition and improvement of Udipi company electrical undertaking at an estimated cost of Rs. 10.2 lakhs initially, rising to Rs. 13.01 lakhs within five years. This has been accepted by P.W. and Finance Departments and orders in circulation are being obtained for sanctioning the scheme.

4. H.M. (P.W.) M.M. (FIN) and M.C.M. have approved the proposal for the acquisition of Udipi, Salur-Parvatipur and Srikakulam undertakings under the provisions of the Madras Electricity Supply Undertakings (Acquisition) Act, 1949, at an estimated cost of Rs. 5.05 lakhs, in anticipation of sanction of the Legislature. Orders sanctioning the acquisition have accordingly been issued in G.O.Ms.No.77 P.W. dated 6-1-1951. Action is also being taken separately to issue orders under the Acquisition Act, declaring the dates on which these three undertakings shall vest in the Government. This note may be circulated to all M.L.s who have not seen the case and to the C.S. and to the Finance Department for information.

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